undertaken include basic amenities, social infrastructure such as, community bath, community latrines/toilets, pucca path/road, water tanks, strom water drains, pucca drains, culverts, parks and rehan basera/night shelters.

Mafia groups extracting money from builders

3245. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMED KHAN (DURRU) : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether government are aware that blackmailing is being done in the name of the construction of illegal buildings in Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the facts in this regard; and

(c) the reaction of Government on the Mafia groups extracting money from the unscrupulous builders and allowing them to construct unauthorised commercial complexes in the residential areas of Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKRISHNAN) : (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Corruption charges against DDA Officials

3246. SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN' :
SHRI LAJPAT RAI :

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the charges of corruption have been levelled against several officers and employees of the Delhi Development Authority during the period from 1998 to 2002;

(b) if so, the names of the accused as well as the details of charges levelled against them and when; and

(c) the names of the persons out of them who have been punished so far for charges against them ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKRISHNAN) : (a) yes, Sir.

(b) The details of cases registered against DDA officials during the period from 1998 to 2002 are given in the statements enclosed (*See* below).

(c) Only one case has been decided, so, far, by the trial court, in which the accused was acquitted.